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SUBJECT: TRADE OPPORTUNITY: FOREIGN GOVERNMENT TENDER - SPECIAL
HANDLING

REF: SAN JOSE 0232

1. 223/01/T0028
 2. 4/8/76
 3. C.H. DUDLEY
 4. 223 (COSTA RICA)
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 6. WRITE TO: LIC. ALONSO J. LARA 5., VICE PRESIDENTE TRANSMESA
- TRANSPORTES METROPLITANOS S.A. APTDO 10323, SAN JOSE, COSTA
RICA, PHONE: 22 44 22.
 7. LICITACION NO. 1 BUSES
 8. 4/26/76 03:00 P.M.
 9. 201
 10. DESCRIPTION: 37113 - 100 UNITS PASSENGER BUSES - DIESEL
ENGINE WITH A MINIMUM OF 100 KV (133 HP) AND A MAXIMUM OF
150 KV (200 HP) - FIVE SPEED FORWARD AND REVERSE - TWO SPEED
REAR AXLE PREFERRED. AXLES: 20 PER CENT OVER CAPACITY IN REAR
AXLE AND 10 PER CENT IN FRONT AXLE. STEERING: HYDRAULIC
POWERED PREFERRED. BRAKES: MUST STAND A FULL LOAD OF PASSENGERS
ON AT 15 DEGREE GRADIENT AT A 40 KM/PER HOUR SPEED. EMERGENCY
BRAKES MUST BE INCLUDED. ELECTRICAL SYSTEM: MUST BE OF 12/16
VOLTS. MINIMUM LIST OF TOOLS AND INSTRUCTION MANUAL MUST BE
INCLUDED. THE MAXIMUM ACCEPTABLE PRICE PER UNIT IS 280,000
COLONES (APPROXIMATELY US \$32,558.00). PRICE MUST BE C&F
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AND GOOD FOR A MINIMUM PERIOD OF 60 DAYS AFTER THE EXPIRING DATE

OF THE BID. OFFER MUST INCLUDE ITS OWN FINANCING PLAN OF A MINIMUM 5 YEARS. TRANSMESA OFFERS "AVAL" OR BANKING GUARANTEE WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE CENTRAL BANK. INTEREST: MUST NOT EXCEED 2 PER CENT OVER THE LIBOR RATE AND BE FIXED ON BALANCE DUE.

TRANSMESA, A COMPANY RECENTLY ESTABLISHED TO IMPROVE BUS SERVICE IN SAN JOSE, IS INVITING BIDS FOR THE ABOVE-MENTIONED BUSES (FOR BACKGROUND ON COMPANY SEE SAN JOSE 0232). ALVARO JENKINS D., MINISTER OF TRANSPORT, IS ALSO PRESIDENT OF TRANSMESA. A SIXTY DAYS (AFTER THE EXPIRING DATE) PARTICIPATION GUARANTEE OF 5 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL VALUE OF THE OFFER, AND A 10 PER CENT PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE, ARE REQUIRED. IMMEDIATE DELIVERY IS PREFERRED. SPECIFICATIONS, REQUIREMENTS AND CONDITIONS BEING AIRPOUCHED. THEY MAY ALSO BE OBTAINED FROM LIC. LARA (SEE ITEM6). THE VALUE OF THIS BID IS APPROXIMATELY US \$3 MILLION. LANE

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